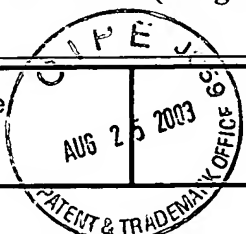
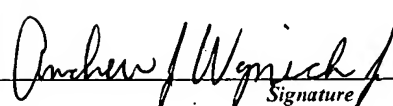
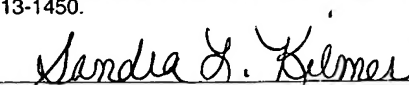


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Sir:

This communication is in response to the Election/Restriction requirement mailed on July 24, 2003 wherein Applicants respectfully traverse the election requirement in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1 through 31 were pending in this application. The Examiner has required an election of species. Applicants respectfully traverse the election requirement. In order to provide a complete response, however, Applicants provisionally elect the species of Fig. 2B, on which claim 1 is readable.

Applicants respectfully traverse the election requirement, on two grounds: the Examiner has not established that examining all claims as filed would represent a serious burden, and claim 1 is generic to aspects of several species.